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| NONFLAMMABLE, NONOZONE            | ) |                     |
| DEPLETING REFRIGERANT MIXTURES)   | ) |                     |
| SUITABLE FOR USE IN MINERAL OIL ) | ) |                     |
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RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION MAILED OCTOBER 25, 2004

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed October 25, 2004, please enter the following amendments and consider the following remarks. No extensions of time are believed to be necessary, but if any are deemed to be due, please charge the fees therefore to Deposit Account 23-3030.

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